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**Subject:** System Permit – Kampachi Farms, LLC - Velella Epsilon

To whom it may concern,

This email is written in support of Kampachi Farms' Vella Epsilon permit.

As a marine biologist who has worked extensively in sustainable aquaculture production, I have looked at the existing research regarding offshore aquaculture production. I see no clear scientific argument against a site at 45 miles out in the Gulf of Mexico with 20,000 *Seriola rivoliana* (kampachi). The discharge from the farm will be minimal, and as a trial farm will provide valuable insight to the public. It will also provide valuable real world data to demonstrate what the impact would be.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

All the best,

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